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TAGS: PFOR, PINS, ENRG, EINV

SUBJECT: RUMORS OF ARRESTS

ESSO EASTERN AND JACK BISHOP HAVE ASKED DEPARTMENT FOR  
COMMENT ON REPORTS RECEIVED FROM MAURICE TEMPLESMAN THAT  
WIDESPREAD ARRESTS OF THOSE ASSOCIATED WITH OUSTED VICE  
PRESIDENT SANI SIDO HAVE OCCURED IN RECENT DAYS. EMBASSY'S  
GUIDANCE REQUESTED. KISSINGER

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